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		CHOLERA		SMALLPOX		PLAGUE		TYPHUS				CHOLERA		SMALLPOX		PLAGUE		TYPHUS			
		Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths			Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths		
INDIA										United Provinces—contd.											
East Punjab																					
Ambala Distt.	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	Hamirpur Distt.	..	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	Hardoi Distt.	18	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for w/e 2-10-48	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	Lucknow Distt.	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for w/e 25-9-48	...	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	Meerut Distt.	9	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for the corresponding week of last year	337	103	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	Muradabad Distt.	8	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delhi																					
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pilibhit Distt.	7	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for w/e 2-10-48	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shahjahanpur Distt.	15	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for w/e 25-9-48	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	Jhansi Distt.	...	...	...	...	7	7	...	...	...	...
Total for the corresponding week of last year	3	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	Etah Distt.	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces																					
Agra Distt.	8	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gorakhpur Distt.	8	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aligarh Distt.	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarnagar Distt.	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Allahabad Distt.	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sitapur Distt.	7	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bahraich Distt.	13	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Unao Distt.	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ballia Distt.	3	1	1	...	5	...	...	...	...	Basti Distt.	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bareilly Distt.	57	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Total	286	174	8	2	19	8	...	...	...	...
Bijnore Distt.	36	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Total for w/e 2-10-48	339	164	...	...	12	3	...	...	...	...
Budaun Distt.	4	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Total for w/e 25-9-48	529	325	5	..	7	2	...	...	...	...
Bulandshahr Distt.	27	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Total for the corresponding week of last year.	794	453	10	2	9	5	...	...	...	...
Kanpur Distt.	20	12	Bihar Province											
Deoria Distt.	1	1	Return not received											
Fatehpur Distt.	17	9	1	1	Orissa Province											
Ghazipur Distt.	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	Outtaek Distt.	73	45	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
										Puri Distt.	1
										Sambalpur Distt.	1
										Total	73	45	8
										Total for w/e 2-10-48.	82	68	38	7
										Total for w/e 25-9-48.	18	10	12	2
										Total for the corresponding week of last year	42	31	9	1

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CHOLERA								CHOLERA							
SMALLPOX				PLAGUE				SMALLPOX				PLAGUE			
TYPHUS								TYPHUS							
Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths
West Bengal								Madras Presidency—contd.							
Return not received								Ramnad Distt.	33	19	4	1	...	...	...
Central Provinces								Kurnool Distt.	25	8	...	1	...	...	...
Nagpur Distt.	50	23	3	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah Distt.	22	14	5	...	...	...	...
Wardha Distt.	43	14	...	...	...	...	...	Bellary Distt.	23	13	...	...	27	9	...
Chanda Distt.	23	8	13	1	...	...	...	Anantapur Distt.	1	...	29	2	...	...	...
Saugor Distt.	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	North Arcot Distt.	44	24	...	...	...	...	...
Hoshangabad Distt.	11	2	...	...	...	...	...	Chittoor Distt.	3	2	5	3	4	...	...
Bhandara Distt.	6	5	...	...	3	...	...	Salem Distt.	18	6	...	...	2	3	...
Amraoti Distt.	85	35	...	...	...	...	...	Coimbatore Distt.	4	3	...	...	10	7	...
Yeotmal Distt.	25	13	...	...	...	...	...	The Nilgiris Distt.	...	...	7	...	1	...	...
Akola Distt.	177	75	...	...	9	2	...	Total	938	409	62	9	44	19	...
Buldana Distt.	21	7	1	...	...	...	...	Total for w/e 2-10-48	981	486	78	19	42	11	...
Rajpur Distt.	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	Total for w/e 25-9-48	1,229	684	106	25	22	13	...
Mandla Distt.	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	Total for the correspond-	998	535	9	...	157	70	...
Total	445	186	18	1	15	3	...	ing week of							
Total for w/e 2-10-48.	461	211	8	5	43	11	...	last year							
Total for w/e 25-9-48.	573	292	10	...	38	8	...	Coorg Province							
Total for the correspond-	588	321	...	...	57	15	...	Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ing week of								Total for w/e 2-10-48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
last year								Total for w/e 25-9-48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay Presidency								Total for the correspond-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay City.	...	...	2	1	1	1	...	ing week of							
East Khandesh Distt.	2	1	1	...	6	...	...	last year.							
West Khandesh Distt.	...	...	...	...	11	6	...	Assam Province							
Panch Mahals Distt.	9	3	...	...	...	...	...	Goalpara Distt.	35	27	...	...	...	...	...
Kaira Distt.	...	...	14	2	...	...	...	Kamrup Distt.	17	12	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad Distt.	13	4	...	...	1	1	...	Sibsagar Distt.	76	44	...	...	...	...	...
Nasik Distt.	19	7	5	1	...	...	...	Lakhimpur Distt.	13	5	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmednagar Distt.	44	21	...	1	...	...	...	Total	141	88	...	...	...	...	...
Poona Distt.	1	1	...	...	11	...	...	Total for w/e 2-10-48	64	40	...	...	...	...	...
Thana Distt.	...	...	6	3	...	...	...	Total for w/e 25-9-48	83	49	...	...	...	...	...
Belgaum Distt.	...	...	2	1	8	1	...	Total for the correspond-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bijapur Distt.	3	2	5	2	...	...	...	ing week of							
Kanara Distt.	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	last year							
Satara Distt.	...	...	2	1	2	2	...	Ajmer-Merwara (Urban)							
Total	91	39	40	12	40	11	...	Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for w/e 2-10-48.	138	36	18	5	46	12	1	Total for w/e 2-10-48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for w/e 25-9-48.	134	44	57	10	34	16	...	Total for w/e 25-9-48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for the correspond-	788	381	16	2	139	51	...	Total for the correspond-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ing week of								ing week of							
last year								last year.							
Madras Presidency								Grand total for India	1,974	941	136	24	115	41	...
Chittoor Distt.	6	1	2	...	...	...	...	Grand total for India	2,509	1,178	165	40	152	43	1
Vizagapatam Distt.	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	for w/e 2-10-48							
Godavari East Distt.	59	29	...	...	...	...	...	Grand total for India	3,061	1,610	212	45	103	40	...
Godavari West Distt.	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	for w/e 25-9-48							
Kistna Distt.	2	2	3	...	...	...	...	Grand total for India	4,687	2,362	56	14	362	141	...
Guntur Distt.	40	25	1	...	...	...	...	for the corresponding							
Nellore Distt.	97	64	2	...	...	...	...	week of last year							
Madras City	277	56	Not available							
Chingleput Distt.	132	53	...	1								
South Arcot Distt.	60	34								
...	90	55	3	1								

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CHOLERA								SMALLPOX								PLAGUE								TYPHUS							
Attacks				Deaths				Attacks				Deaths				Attacks				Deaths				Attacks				Deaths			
INDIAN STATES																Hyderabad State															
Baroda State																Aurangabad Distt.															
Total	...	...	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Travancore State																Culberga Distt.															
Total	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kolhapur State																Bidar Distt.															
Total	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jodhpur State																Osmanabad Distt.															
Total	27	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gwalior-Indore-Malwa Union																Warangal Distt.															
Gwalior State	...	...	26	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	...	26	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore State																Medak Distt.															
Bangalore Distt.	...	...	42	1	13	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chitaldrug Distt.	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hassan Distt.	...	...	...	...	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chikmagalur Distt.	...	...	...	...	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kolar Distt.	...	...	2	...	12	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore Distt.	...	...	...	...	13	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shimoga Distt.	...	...	...	1	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tumkur Distt.	...	...	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	...	50	3	54	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

CHOLERA								SMALLPOX								PLAGUE								TYPHUS							
Attacks				Deaths				Attacks				Deaths				Attacks				Deaths				Attacks				Deaths			
Hyderabad State																Jammu and Kashmir State															
Aurangabad Distt.																Jammu Distt.															
...	
Culberga Distt.																R. S. Pura Distt.															
...	
Bidar Distt.																Total															
...	
Osmanabad Distt.																Grand total for Indian States															
...	
Warangal Distt.																Grand total for India and Indian States															
...	
Medak Distt.																2,233 1,075 218 43 187 79 1 ...															
...	
Mahbubnagar Distt.																															
...	
Hyderabad Distt.																															
...	
Total	123	68	18	3	

NEW DELHI, 3 (INDIA);
The 9th November, 1948.

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Statement showing births and deaths from principal diseases in towns with a population of over 30,000 in the provinces of India and some of the Indian States for the week ending the 9th October 1948

Name of town	Mid-year estimated population (1948)	Births	Birth rate (annual)*	Deaths from:—							Total deaths (all causes)	Death rate (annual)*
				Cholera	Smallpox	Plague	Fever	Dysentery and diarrhoea	Respiratory diseases			
A.—INDIA												
East Punjab												
Hissar	31,141	21	35.2	..	..	..	4	1	..	7	11.7
Bhiwani	49,832	59	61.7	..	..	..	9	8	2	28	29.3
Rohtak	57,615	26	33.5	..	..	..	13	..	1	14	12.7
Rewari	33,900	10	15.4	..	..	..	4	2	..	6	9.2
Karnal	45,386	21	24.1	..	..	..	4	..	1	5	5.7
Panipat†												
Ambala†												
Hoshiarpur	41,666	22	27.5	..	..	..	6	..	..	8	10.0
Jullundur†												
Ludhiana	143,309	100	34.4	..	..	..	11	5	2	32	11.7
Moga	32,265	35	51.8	..	..	..	2	..	1	6	8.9
Ferozepur†												
Fazilka†												
Amritsar	482,252	185	20.0	..	..	..	16	20	35	177	19.1
Batala†												
TOTAL .	920,263	479	27.1	..	..	..	69	36	42	283	10.0
Delhi Province												
Delhi City	649,676	647	51.8	..	..	..	68	14	42	188	15.0
New Delhi	114,911	49	22.2	..	..	..	..	..	3	17	7.7
TOTAL .	764,587	696	47.3	..	..	..	68	14	45	205	13.9
United Provinces												
Sitapur	34,532	27	40.9	..	..	..	6	3	..	16	24.2
Lucknow	482,521	372	45.0	..	..	..	46	5	29	175	21.2
Kanpur	508,849	357	30.7	..	..	..	94	21	37	268	23.0
Agra	295,413	495	87.6	..	..	..	1	20	79	181	32.0
Banaras	295,865	305	53.9	..	..	..	120	23	17	276	48.8
Allahabad	299,268	159	27.8	2	..	..	..	2	24	55	9.6
Bareilly	214,516	164	40.0	..	..	..	27	8	31	92	22.4
Moradabad	165,771	165	52.0	..	..	..	2	10	17	60	18.9
Meerut	136,249	125	48.0	..	..	..	16	1	11	41	15.7
Koil-Aligarh	133,760	65	25.4	..	..	..	14	5	6	33	12.9
Sahjahanpur	125,250	55	23.0	..	..	..	27	4	6	55	9.6
Saharanpur	125,400	129	53.8	..	..	..	22	5	2	73	30.4
Jhansi	83,626	95	59.4	..	..	..	47	..	1	63	39.4
Mirzapur	78,101	69	46.2	..	..	..	14	..	7	30	20.1
Mathura	88,545	99	58.5	..	..	..	2	9	18	60	35.4
Fazabad-Ayodhya	55,215	59	55.9	..	..	..	5	5	7	28	26.5
Gorakhpur	103,020	69	35.0	..	..	..	7	8	6	36	18.3
Farrukhabad-cum-Fatehgarh	61,839	58	49.0	..	..	..	21	5	5	44	37.2
Etawah	57,639	85	77.1	..	..	..	15	2	11	63	47.2
Budaun	56,932	46	42.2	..	..	..	22	8	10	46	42.2
Amroha	64,031	63	51.4	..	..	..	6	10	10	41	33.5
Sambhal	60,920	72	61.8	..	1	..	21	12	4	49	42.1	
Dehra Dun	69,481	83	62.5	..	..	..	2	2	4	21	15.8
Hathras	52,281	71	71.0	1	..	..	36	11	3	62	61.7
Jaunpur	50,084	28	29.2	..	..	..	6	..	3	16	16.7
Pilibhit	50,444	58	60.1	..	..	..	7	3	2	27	28.0
Muzaffarnagar	55,125	56	53.1	..	..	..	6	2	4	19	18.0
Bahraich	44,495	34	40.0	..	..	..	7	1	..	15	17.6
Hardwar Union	46,352	44	49.6	..	..	..	20	5	2	33	37.2
Khurja	38,383	39	53.1	10	..	..	2	..	1	26	35.4
Ferozabad	52,144	25	25.1	..	..	..	6	..	..	11	11.0
Hapur	40,092	26	33.9	..	..	..	8	2	5	19	24.8
Ghaziipur	34,135	13	19.9	..	..	..	9	2	..	15	23.0
Balrampur	47,048	31	34.5	..	..	..	9	..	..	13	14.4
TOTAL .	4,157,326	3,641	45.5	13	1	..	653	189	302	2,051	25.7	

*In the case of those towns in which appreciable changes in population have recently taken place owing to war conditions, the birth and death rates shown in this statement are not accurate estimates.

† Figures not available.

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				Cholera	Smallpox	Plague	Fevers	Dysentery and diarrhoea	Respiratory diseases			
<i>Bihar</i>												
Return not received.												
<i>Orissa</i>												
Berhampur	47,781	52	50.6	...	...	...	4	2	..	12	13.0
Outtack	80,913	61	39.0	...	...	...	4	5	..	41	26.2
Puri	43,614	18	21.4	...	...	...	6	..	3	18	21.4
TOTAL	172,308	131	39.3	...	...	...	14	7	3	71	21.3
<i>West Bengal</i>												
Burdwan	79,990	24	15.7	1	...	...	3	...	2	14	9.2
Asansol†												
Bankura†												
Midnapur	51,348	11	11.2	...	...	...	5	...	1	8	8.1
Hooghly-Chinsura	61,144	109	93.2	...	...	...	5	2	2	27	23.1
Serampur	67,277	22	17.1	1	...	..	4	6	3	28	21.8
Champdani	36,577	16	21.4	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	7.1
Howrah	492,533	127	13.5	3	...	...	10	30	49	187	19.9
Bally	65,100	9	7.2	1	...	...	...	1	1	7	5.6
South Suburban†												
Tollygunj	83,615	10	6.3	...	...	..	...	1	...	2	1.3
Garden Reach	106,689	7	3.4	...	...	..	6	1	3	17	8.3
Budge Budge	38,415	9	12.2	...	...	...	...	2	...	5	6.8
Baranagar	67,211	18	14.0	...	...	...	..	2	9	24	18.7
Kamarhati†												
Titagarh	63,157	38	31.5	...	...	...	20	...	...	20	10.6
Naihati	50,430	5	5.2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4.1
Bhatpara	140,562	37	13.8	...	...	...	17	4	4	63	23.4
Calcutta	2,801,979	708	13.2	16	...	...	139	73	200	899	16.8
Krishnagar	37,635	7	9.7	...	...	...	2	1	...	7	9.7
Nabadwip†												
Berhampur	51,941	86	86.0	1	...	...	12	1	1	36	36.2
TOTAL	4,295,733	1,242	15.1	23	...	...	232	124	276	1,353	16.5
<i>Central Provinces</i>												
Nagpur	286,010	255	46.4	...	...	...	66	12	7	174	31.6
Nagpur Civil Station	77,593	49	32.0	...	...	...	14	...	2	34	22.2
Wardha	84,797	21	31.4	...	...	...	4	...	..	10	14.9
Hinganghat	32,029	35	56.8	...	...	...	4	5	1	24	39.0
Jubbulpore	166,561	124	38.7	...	...	...	15	4	5	37	11.5
Saugor†												
Damoh†												
Khandwa	41,331	23	28.9	...	...	...	6	...	1	12	15.1
Burhanpur	61,262	61	51.8	...	...	...	19	...	2	31	26.3
Raipur	76,723	21	14.2	...	...	...	4	...	...	4	2.7
Bilaspur	41,919	27	33.5	...	...	...	6	...	...	11	13.6
Amoraoti	73,074	74	52.7	...	...	...	9	...	3	24	17.1
Ellehpur	33,587	26	40.3	...	...	...	2	1	2	11	17.1
Yeotmal	30,654	29	49.2	...	...	...	6	7	1	22	37.3
Akola	73,513	63	44.6	2	17	11	3	59	41.8	
Ohanda†												
TOTAL	1,031,053	808	40.8	2	172	40	27	453	22.8	

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				Cholera	Smallpox	Plague	Fever	Dysentery and diarrhoea	Respiratory diseases			
Bombay Presidency												
Bombay	1,730,783	1,235	37.1	..	1	1	50	26	161	718	21.6	
Jalgaon	59,090	34	29.9	..	..	..	2	1	3	22	19.4
Amalner	42,908	18	21.8	..	..	..	8	..	2	13	15.8
Bhusawal	42,483	30	36.7	..	..	..	4	1	3	18	22.0
Dhulja	63,318	31	25.5	..	..	..	9	1	4	28	23.0
Nasik	57,256	52	47.2	..	..	..	5	..	4	21	19.1
Malegaon	39,948	34	44.3	3	..	..	15	10	1	29	37.7
Bandra	94,229	67	37.0	..	..	..	2	1	7	34	18.8
Kurla	45,489	30	34.2	..	..	..	5	...	1	9	10.2
Kalyan	35,073	22	32.6	..	..	..	5	1	5	19	28.3
Surat	224,617	186	43.1	..	..	..	13	..	16	65	14.0
Broach	71,599	65	47.2	..	..	..	8	...	2	13	9.4
Nadiad	55,258	69	64.9	..	..	..	18	...	..	23	21.6
Ahmedabad	797,532	605	39.3	..	..	..	205	14	67	486	31.8
Poona City†												
Sholapur	253,645	221	45.3	..	..	..	17	39	103	247	50.6
Pandharpur	36,167	31	44.6	..	..	..	7	4	9	31	44.6
Barshi	40,141	34	44.0	..	..	..	9	2	3	39	50.5
Ahmednagar	63,213	70	57.6	..	..	..	1	1	1	18	15.4
Bijapur	55,739	37	34.6	..	..	..	1	2	..	12	11.2
Belgaum	73,096	41	29.2	..	..	2	1	1	..	21	14.9
Dharwar	53,191	33	32.3	..	..	..	3	..	1	14	13.7
Hubli	104,326	54	26.9	..	..	..	9	2	9	38	18.9
Gadag-Betgeri	63,932	44	35.8	..	..	..	7	...	5	34	27.7
Godhra†												
Satara	38,806	27	36.2	..	..	..	1	...	1	14	18.8
Parle Andheri	53,959	25	24.0	..	..	..	4	1	4	12	11.5
TOTAL	4,195,788	3,095	38.4	3	1	3	409	107	411	1,980	24.5	
Madras Presidency												
Vizagapatam	79,732	71	46.3	..	..	..	1	1	8	26	17.0
Vizianagram	56,919	54	49.3	..	..	..	7	2	2	33	30.1
Cocanada	81,879	40	25.4	..	..	..	4	2	1	31	19.7
Rajahmundry	82,660	54	34.0	..	..	..	7	2	3	33	20.8
Ellore	70,468	35	25.8	..	..	..	4	..	2	34	25.1
Benwada†												
Masulipatam	60,774	52	44.5	..	..	..	4	3	3	25	21.4
Guntur	97,107	113	60.5	..	..	..	3	4	4	45	24.1
Tenali	45,083	36	41.5	..	..	..	3	2	3	16	18.5
Nellore	63,956	50	40.7	2	..	..	7	..	9	41	33.3
Madras	983,087	1,158	61.3	57	..	..	79	55	208	790	41.8
Conjeeveram	81,531	54	34.4	..	..	..	1	..	5	14	8.9
Aruppukottai	35,845	35	50.8	..	..	..	1	5	1	22	31.9
Cuddalore	61,790	61	51.3	9	..	..	..	..	..	19	16.0
Trichinopoly	171,828	143	43.2	..	..	..	2	5	12	65	19.7
Tanjore	70,030	40	29.7	..	..	..	4	3	6	45	33.4
Kumbakonam	70,447	14	32.5	..	..	..	1	..	1	15	11.1
Negapatam	56,171	35	32.4	..	..	..	..	..	3	16	14.8
Mayavaram	33,242	22	34.4	..	..	..	..	3	...	21	32.9
Madura	281,038	232	42.9	1	..	..	8	6	32	119	22.0
Dindigul	65,559	43	34.1	..	..	..	2	3	2	17	13.5
Virudhunagar	35,644	49	71.5	..	..	..	1	2	1	12	17.5
Palam Cottah	33,211	24	37.6	..	..	..	1	1	..	8	12.5
Srivilliputtar	36,299	11	15.8	4	16	22.9	
Rajapalayam	51,862	24	24.1	1	3	7	7.9	
Tuticorin	86,775	113	67.7	1	1	7	35	21.0	

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				Cholera	Smallpox	Plague	Fever	Dysentery and diarrhoea	Respiratory diseases			
Madras Presidency—contd.												
Tinnevely	63,316	68	55.8	..	..	..	1	5	10	35	27.7
Vellore	81,944	88	55.8	..	..	..	1	4	6	37	23.5
Tiruvannamalai	37,835	17	23.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	12.4
Ambur	37,186	19	26.5	..	..	..	3	1	3	14	19.6
Gudiyattam	38,523	47	63.4	..	..	..	..	1	1	7	9.4
Vinnyambadi	37,397	11	15.3	..	..	..	..	..	4	7	9.7
Salem	149,884	99	34.3	..	..	..	3	4	9	32	11.1
Coimbatore	156,125	135	45.0	..	..	..	2	7	8	62	20.7
Brode	43,744	35	41.6	..	..	..	..	..	2	10	11.9
Tiruppur	44,128	34	40.1	..	..	..	1	1	2	11	13.0
Kurnool †	62,439	37	30.8	..	..	..	1	4	11	28	23.3
Bellary	35,284	37	54.5	..	..	..	..	2	2	6	8.8
Adoni	91,563	69	39.2	..	..	..	..	..	5	27	15.3
Mangalore	146,211	142	50.5	..	..	..	3	4	10	72	25.6
Oalicut	59,683	43	37.5	..	..	..	2	1	2	23	20.1
Palghat	34,960	21	31.2	..	..	..	2	..	3	10	14.9
Tellicherry	40,701	32	40.9	..	..	..	..	1	2	9	11.5
TOTAL	3,953,792	3,527	46.4	69	..	..	100	133	405	1,904	25.0
Assam												
Shillong	46,740	15	16.7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gauhati	35,318	13	19.1	..	..	..	2	..	..	6	8.8
TOTAL	82,058	28	17.7	..	..	..	2	..	..	6	3.8
Ajmer-Marwar												
Ajmer	167,593	120	37.2	..	..	..	18	4	9	50	15.5
Baawar	42,865	40	18.5	..	..	..	9	3	5	19	23.0
TOTAL	210,458	160	39.5	..	..	..	27	7	14	69	17.0
(B) INDIAN STATES												
Jodhpur States												
Jodhpur City	150,389	1	0.3	..	..	..	4	..	1	5	1.7
Mysore State												
Bangalore City	304,052	232	39.7	..	..	..	10	18	26	152	26.0
Mysore City	182,366	116	57.9	..	..	..	8	5	..	45	22.5
Kolar Gold Fields	169,816	120	43.2	..	..	..	3	1	3	31	11.1
Cochin State												
Mattancheri	63,393	51	41.0	..	..	..	2	1	3	15	12.4
Ernakulam	54,234	8	7.7	..	..	..	..	..	2	6	5.8
Trichur	66,230	32	25.2	..	..	..	1	..	2	9	7.1
Patiala State												
Patiala City	80,645	65	18.8	..	..	..	14	5	..	29	42.2
Baroda State												
Baroda City	179,665	182	52.8	..	..	..	31	..	7	73	21.1
Navsari City	43,548	46	54.7	..	..	..	9	..	..	6	7.2
Patan City	41,477	48	60.1	..	..	..	12	..	1	19	23.8
Gambay State												
Gombay City	37,156	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kolhapur State												
Kolhapur City	110,023	67	31.6	..	..	..	5	3	18	34	16.1
Bikaner State												
Bikaner City	157,513	54	17.8	..	..	..	8	2	17	27	8.9
Delhi Province												
Corrected Statement I w/e the 2nd October 1948.												
Delhi City	649,676	467	36.6	..	..	..	52	18	41	154	12.3
New Delhi	114,911	100	45.3	..	..	..	3	1	5	63	28.5
TOTAL	764,587	557	37.9	..	..	..	55	19	46	217	14.3

† Figures not available.

Statement showing births and deaths from principal diseases in towns with a population of over 30,000 in the provinces of India and some of the Indian States for the week ending the 9th October 1948—concl'd.

Name of town	Mid-year estimated population (1948)	Births	Birth rate (annual)*	Deaths from —							Total deaths (all causes)	Death rate (annual)*
				Cholera	Smallpox	Plague	Fever	Dysentery and diarrhoea	Respiratory diseases			
ARREAR RETURNS												
East Punjab												
For w/e the 25th September 1948												
Ambala	50,840	22	22.7	—	—	—	4	1	2	8	8.2	
For w/e the 4th September 1948												
Central Provinces												
Saugor	59,694	17	14.8	1	...	...	3	...	2	14	12.2
Damoh	31,246	17	28.3	...	...	...	3	1	1	10	16.6
For W/e the 11th September 1948												
Saugor	59,694	19	16.6	...	...	...	...	...	1	12	10.5
Damoh	31,246	19	31.6	...	...	...	...	2	1	15	25.0
For W/e the 18th September 1948												
Saugor	59,694	19	16.6	...	...	...	5	...	1	10	8.7
Damoh	31,246	17	28.3	..	..	..	4	..	2	10	16.6
For W/e the 2nd October 1948												
Bombay Province												
Kalyan	35,073	27	40.0	..	..	..	4	1	4	13	19.3
Sholapur	353,645	221	45.3	...	..	...	17	39	103	247	50.6
For w/e the 25th September, 1948												
West Bengal												
Burdwan	79,990	24	15.7	...	...	...	5	...	1	10	6.5
Midnapur	51,348	16	16.3	...	..	...	1	2	1	9	9.2
Hooghly-Chinsura	61,144	61	40.0	...	...	...	5	2	2	21	13.8
Serampur	67,277	30	23.3	...	...	...	1	4	2	16	12.4
Champdani	36,577	23	32.9	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	5.7
Howrah	492,533	139	14.8	6	1	...	28	25	45	192	20.4	
Bally	65,100	22	17.7	1	...	...	...	...	3	11	8.8
South Suburban	81,064	39	25.2	...	...	...	2	7	2	18	11.0
Tollygunj	83,915	5	3.1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1.3
Budge Budge	38,415	19	12.2	...	...	..	2	5	...	8	10.9
Titagarh	63,187	33	27.3	...	...	...	13	...	1	15	12.4
Naihati	50,480	7	7.3	..	...	...	2	1	2	9	9.3
Calcutta	2,801,979	1045	19.5	15	3	...	143	75	186	823	15.4	
Krishnagar	37,085	7	9.7	...	...	...	2	...	1	5	6.9
Nabadwip	39,178	20	26.7	...	...	..	6	5	1	19	25.4
Berhampur	51,941	6	6.0	...	...	...	9	3	1	16	16.1
Bhatpara	140,562	54	20.1	1	...	...	16	4	5	70	26.0
TOTAL	4,242,975	1,540	19.0	24	4	...	235	133	254	1,248	15.4	
Bikaner State												
For w/e												
Bikaner City	24-7-48	157,513	56	18.5	...	...	2	2	11	15	5.0
"	31-7-48	"	49	16.2	...	..	...	3	14	17	5.6
"	7-8-48	"	68	22.4	...	...	3	3	13	19	6.3
"	14-8-48	"	58	19.1	...	...	2	2	14	18	5.9
"	21-8-48	"	48	15.8	...	...	2	2	14	18	5.9
"	28-8-48	"	63	20.8	...	...	3	3	18	24	7.9
"	4-9-48	"	62	20.5	...	...	2	5	18	25	8.3
"	11-9-48	"	96	31.7	...	...	7	5	16	28	9.2
"	18-9-48	"	68	22.4	2	...	6	2	21	29	9.6	
"	25-9-48	"	77	25.4	3	...	8	2	20	30	9.9	
"	2-10-48	"	98	32.4	...	..	7	1	21	29	9.6
Cambay State												
For w/e												
Cambay City	28-8-48	37,156	26	39.0	...	...	14	2	...	16	25.1
"	1-9-48	"	31	43.2	...	...	9	1	3	13	18.1
"	11-9-48	"	29	40.5	...	...	12	...	2	14	19.5
"	18-9-48	"	28	39.1	...	...	11	2	1	14	19.5

REMARKS

The vital statistics returns for week ending the 9th October, 1948 for towns with a population of 30,000 and over have been received in respect of only 162 towns (149 towns out of 182 in India and 13 towns out of 30 in Indian States). The estimated mid-year population of all these 162 towns is 11,386,510. The births and deaths recorded in these towns numbered 14,829 and 8,796 representing birth and death rates of 36.1 and 21.4 per thousand of the population respectively.

(A) *India* :—The births and deaths recorded in towns of India were 13,807 and 8,375 giving birth and death rates of 36.3 and 22.0 per thousand of the population respectively.

The three towns Hathras (U. P.), Sholapur and Barsi (Bombay Province) recorded high death rates of 61.7, 50.6 and 50.5 per thousand of the population respectively. The high death rate in Hathras was mainly due to deaths from fevers, in Sholapur to respiratory

diseases and in Barsi to deaths from fevers and non-specified causes.

There were 110 deaths from cholera, 2 deaths from smallpox and 2 deaths from plague. The distribution of cholera deaths was as follows: Madras recorded 57; Calcutta 16; Khurja 10; Cuddalore 9; Howrah and Malegaon 3 each; Allahabad, Akola and Nellore 2 each; Hathras, Burdwan, Serampur, Bally, Berhampur (in West Bengal) and Madura one each. Of the two deaths from smallpox Sambhal and Bombay City recorded one each. The towns that reported deaths from plague were Belgaum 2 and Bombay city one.

(B) *Indian States* :—The births and deaths recorded in the Indian States were 1,022 and 421 representing birth and death rates of 33.1 and 13.7 per thousand of the population respectively. No town recorded high death rate of 50 or over per thousand of the population. There was no death from cholera, smallpox and plague during the week under review.

NEW DELHI, 3 (INDIA) ;

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